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> PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated March 16, 2006 for two(2) month(s) from June 16, 2006 to August 16, 2006. Appeal responding to the aforesaid Final Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

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